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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

**HEALTH MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE
DEPARTMENT
(G2)**

AMENDMENTS TO THE ANDHRA PRADESH HEALTH, AND FAMILY WELFARE SERVICE RULES, 2002- SPECIAL RULES- TO INCLUDE THE CATEGORIES OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE(Teaching) AND PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE (NON-Teaching) FOR THE PROMOTIONS TO THE POST OF COMMUNITY HEALTH OFFICER (CHO) INSTEAD OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE GRADE-II.

[G.O.Ms.No. 206, Health Medical and Family Welfare (G2), 29th October, 2018.]

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the constitution of India and of all other following hereunto enabling, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Health and Family Welfare Service Rules, 2002 issued in the G.O.Ms.No.261, HM&FW(B1) Department Dated:28-06-2002 and published in supplement to part-I, A.P. Gazette No.31-A, Dated.1st August 2002 as subsequently amended from time to time.

AMENDMENTS

In the said Rules:-

1. In rule 2, under CLASS-B, against the category (6), for the existing entry, the following entries shall be substituted, namely:-

“ (a) Community Health Officer
(b) Community Health Officer(Female)”

2. In rule 3.

(i) In the table, under CLASS-B, for the existing entries in category (6), the following entries shall be substituted, in columns (1),(2) and (3) respectively, namely:

(1)	(2)	(3)
“Category- (6) (a) Community Health Officer	(i) By appointment by transfer of Multi Purpose Health Extension Officers (ii) By appointment by transfer of Public Health Nurse (Teaching)	Director, Public Health & Family Welfare
(b) Community Health Officer (Female)	(i) By appointment by transfer of Public Health Nurse(Non-Teaching)	Director of Public Health & Family Welfare”

(ii) For the existing Note-2, the following note shall be substituted, namely:

“Note:2 :- For appointment to the post of category 6(a), Community Health Officer, out of every ten vacancies, the first 9 vacancies shall be filled by Multi Purpose Health Extension Officer and tenth vacancy shall be filled by Public Health Nurse (Teaching), duly following the roster points. In respect of post of category 6(b), Community Health Officer (Female) the vacancies shall be filled by Public Health Nurse (Non-Teaching), duly following the roster points.”

3. In Rule 5, in the table, under class (B), for the category (6), the following entries shall be substituted in columns (1), (2) and (3) respectively, namely:

(1)	(2)	(3)
<p>“Category- (6)</p> <p>(a) Community Health Officer</p>	<p>(i) By appointment by transfer of Multi Purpose Health Extension officer</p> <p>(ii). by appointment by transfer of Public Health Nurse (Teaching)</p>	<p>i. must have passed S.S.C or any other equivalent qualification</p> <p>ii. a Sanitary Inspector training course certificate awarded by the Chairman of the Board of Examiners constituted by the state Government or must possesses a certificate in the Multi Purpose Health Workers training course from Government institution or institution recognized by Government.</p> <p>iii. must have put in a regular service of not less than three years in the category of Multi Purpose Health Extension Officer.</p> <p>i. must have passed Bachelor of Science (nursing)</p> <p>ii. must have put- in regular service of not less than three years in the category of Public Health Nurse (Teaching)</p>
<p>(b) Community Health Officer (Fcmalc)</p>	<p>(i) by appointment by Transfer of Public Health Nurse (Non- Teaching)</p>	<p>i. must have passed S.S.C or any equivalent qualification</p> <p>ii. successfully completion of Multi Purpose Health Assistant (Female) training course from Government institution or institution recognized by Government.</p> <p>iii. must possess a certificate in Lady Health Visitor training course conducted by the Government of Andhra Pradesh</p> <p>iv. must have put in a regular service of not less than two years in the category of Public Health Nurse (Non- teaching)”.</p>

4. In Rule 14, in the table, under Class-B, for the category- (6), the following entries shall be substituted, in columns (1), (2) and (3) respectively, namely:

(1)	(2)	(3)
"Category-(6)"	(a) Community Health Officer (b) Community Health Officer (Female)	Multi Zone comprising of all districts of Andhra Pradesh

This G.O. is issued with the concurrence of the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, vide their letter No.525/RR/2018, Dated:04-10-2018.

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